



**SUPREME COURT OF DELAWARE**

**MYRON T. STEELE**  
CHIEF JUSTICE

**SUPREME COURT BUILDING**  
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September 5, 2013

The Hon. Jack A. Markell  
Governor, State of Delaware  
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Dover, DE 19901

Your Excellency:

I write to inform you that I will retire from the position of Chief Justice of the Delaware Supreme Court effective November 30, 2013. I believe that by writing now and by selecting the above date for retirement, you will be able to select my successor in a seamless process.

The timing will not require you to call the Senate back for a Special Session to consider my successor's nomination.

It has been a privilege to serve Delaware as a judicial officer for the past twenty-five years.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Myron T. Steele".

MTS/rm

c: The Justices  
The Presiding Judges  
Patricia Griffin, State Court Administrator  
Steve Taylor, Supreme Court Administrator  
Cathy Howard, Supreme Court Clerk